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Thanksgiving Day, Oct. 9th

Breezelets

Col. Otto says that several thousand interned Austrians and Germans are working on some of the new railway construction work in the dominion.

That being so, both Col. Otto and the government Otto know better than to put interned alien enemies on such important work.

"Canadians have been in recent fighting north of Thiepval," reads a dispatch.

Might be sure of that after reading about the great victory at that point.

"Greek cabinet resigns again," says a report.

It seems hard to get Greece "permanently resigned" to her fate.

In fact, her "cabinet" is only a piece of Hun furniture—a relic of other days.

First thing the Greeks will know their cabinet will consist of the Allies army staff.

It is reported that the German scientists are working overtime to discover a gas to poison that English "caterpillar" pest.

"Two hurt when street car and beer wagon collide," reads a news heading.

It doesn't say which was hurt the most—the car or the beer wagon.

"The beer kegs rolled all over the street, striking some of the citizens," continues the item.

"Drunk and disorderly," was the verdict of the J.P., after hearing of the escapade of the rolling beer kegs.

Probably King Constantine would not be in his present plight if he hadn't attempted to make the Greek cross a double cross.

Austrian archdukes are being rapidly separated from their high commands in the army, it having been discovered that the titles of those eminent ones fail to overawe the enemies.

The live man is most often dead sure of his position.

They're Off

WITH ACADIA IN THE LEAD

Acadia constituency is first in the alphabet and also apparently intends to be first in its contributions to the Patriotic Fund, as it has already remitted \$1,115.00 towards the 1916-17 Patriotic Fund. The cheque was forwarded by Mr. Andrew Boyd of the Blood Indian Valley Association a few days ago. Other points which have also sent in creditable amounts to be applied on the new Fund are Red Deer, \$1,000; Coleman, \$720.86; Bellevue, \$693.30; Canmore, \$443.30; Blairmore, \$300.00; Macleod, \$300.00. The generous donations already received augur well for the Patriotic Fund for the coming year, as the general campaign for contributions has not yet been started.

The Folly of Hate

A popular writing physician who specializes on psychological problems has been advising his large number of newspaper readers not to indulge in the habit of worry as it will make them homesick as well as reduce their general health. He also compares worrying to hate and says they both come from the same stem of evil.

Jerome K. Jerome, the famous English writer, is writing to the newspapers on the folly of cultivating hatred as a racial or a personal characteristic.

He said recently, history has proved that it is worse than folly and a blunder in itself. It is not a good business proposition.

As this great English writer says: "Nelson's one mistake was to tell us that our duty was to hate every Frenchman like the devil, unless he had intended to add 'for the present only'."

"Our patriotic press a few years ago," he says, "was urging us to roll France in the mud." There is an old Spanish proverb which runs: "Say not—Fountain, I will never drink again of thy waters."

"How long ago was it that Lloyd George had to disguise himself as a policeman to escape from a Birmingham mob? He is now the idol of Carlton club."

Teacher—What is the plural of child?
Bright pupil—Twins.

Fire!

GREAT PRECAUTION NEEDED

Killam, a village which is well known to many in Chinook, having been former residents near there, has just experienced a very serious fire loss.

The time of the year—the present continuous snow storm being a sure reminder—has approached when fires have become a necessity, and while it is probable that some warmer days may intervene between now and the "30 to 40 below zero" weather, fires will be needed right along now, and with it comes the dangers from fires. The old adage, "Prevention is better than a cure," seems particularly applicable against fire.

With a view to lessen the danger of fires in Chinook, the village council at its last meeting, amended the "Brick Chimney By-law" so as to include in its scope every building in the village where a fire is used. Before this by-law covered only buildings in blocks 1, 2, 3 and 4. At the time this by-law was first passed buildings in the other blocks were scattered, but during the past year or two so many residences have been built in between that now the danger from fire has very materially increased, that it has become very necessary to include the whole village under its provisions, and it is hoped that owners of these buildings will co-operate with the council in complying with the by-law, without any forcing, as it is to the advantage of one and all alike to do everything possible to lessen the danger from fire, for it is generally admitted that when a fire gets any headway at all, the probabilities are the whole place goes.

Unfortunately such has been the case several times this year—and who can tell where the next may be? No doubt the residents of Killam never thought that they would have been visited with such a serious fire—hence, it behoves everyone of us to see that every precaution be taken to prevent a fire getting a start.

And side by side with this important question comes the query, "What about Chinook's fire brigade and fire protection? Isn't it about time everything was gotten in order and a plentiful stock of necessary supplies on hand in case of necessity?"

Don't wait until the horse is out before shutting the stable door.

Lieut. G. H. Scott

LAYS DOWN HIS LIFE

Among Monday's list of casualties appears the name of Lieut. G. H. Scott of Oyen, who has laid down his life for his country and the empire, having been killed while in action, with his face to the foe.

The late Lieut. Scott, who was well known in Chinook, was a member of the 21st Alberta Hussars for some considerable time previous to his enlistment and was in business with his brother, J. F., and Naismith—both of whom are now at the front—at Oyen, before leaving to do his "bit" for the cause.

Lieut. Scott was stationed at Victoria park, Calgary, with the unit during last winter, and there took up the necessary training for active service overseas. On the other side he was transferred to another Canadian regiment and sent to Flanders. From reports received from members of the same unit, Lieut. Scott could not have been in the trenches any longer than two months before he was slain.

Significant Facts

SHOWS HOW THE WIND BLOWS

During the last two weeks of Sept. 3,043 recruits were taken in the Dominion. The total number raised for the month was 6,351, as against 7,267 for August and 8,675 for July.

The total number of men enlisted to date in the Dominion since the war commenced is 365,867.

Canadian casualties recorded during September were double the number of men recruited in Canada during the month.

The last two items above have a very significant meaning, it it means anything. First, 500,000 recruits is the figure set down for Canada by Gen. Sam Hughes. It still lacks some 45,000 of that number, with a falling ratio of recruits. Second, the number of recruits for September was but half the number of casualties for the same period.

How is this deficiency and wastage to be made up?

It doesn't require much argument to see that conscription will be the only means left to obtain the desired results, sooner or later—perhaps sooner than expected by some.

Chinook Breezes

Mr. S. Dilks motored to Calgary on Saturday.

On account of Monday being Thanksgiving day, the stores will be closed.

Mr. Frank McFee has purchased Ernie Key's farm. What's next, Frank?

Prairie chicken season opened on Monday of this week, and extends to November 30th.

Mr. Bray has started the erection of a house for himself, on the south side of 2nd Ave. west.

The Women's Auxiliary of Cereal will hold a fowl supper and dance on Monday, Oct. 9th.

Will Appreciate Now Alright

It will take a lot of chilly weather to make us properly appreciate the benefits of Indian summer.

Cracks a Rib

Mr. D. Northgraves had the misfortune to slip off a barn roof one day last week, cracking one of his ribs, which has laid him up for a while.

Is Improving Nicely

From late reports we learn that Mr. Joe Deman has been successfully operated upon for appendicitis last week, at the Holy Cross hospital, Calgary, and that he is progressing favorably.

No Poem on This Yet to Hand

The first snow of the season in this district fell on Saturday, Sep. 30th, and which has continued to fall more or less during this week threshing operations have consequently been delayed for some time.

Takes the "Lion's" Place

March is generally the month supposed to come in like a lamb and go out like a lion, or visa versa. But this year September was doing its best to steal a march on March, and to beat it on the "lion" record.

Better Than Ever Expected

Some remarkable yields of wheat are being made known as the threshing proceeds. Messrs. Leitch & Haigh has just threshed for a farmer south of Chinook, 13½ acres with a yield of 750 bushels, or over 50 bushels to the acre.

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Then and Now

A CONTRAST

ONE cannot help noticing the contrast between a threshing season in Alberta under the old order of things when the open bar was in full swing, and a threshing season under the present prohibition act. Under the old regime, during weather condition which prevailed during the first part of this week, many would come into town from the harvest fields, a majority of whom were in for a "good time," and would invariably spend much of their hard-earned money over the bar. Generally the bar was "having the good time" raking in the cash—and the customer the "big head" and the empty wallet; besides a noisy time in town.

But now, under prohibition, when the harvest hands come into town, when they cannot work owing to weather conditions, it is to spend money at the stores for the necessary articles required, and the money now instead of flowing freely into one bar till, is spread around at the different business places of the town, and so passes on in general circulation. The grain cheque, too, now gets a chance. Instead of being cashed over the bar—with its subsequent dockage for the benefit of "the boys"—is now either cashed at the bank or the stores at par.

In fact, under present conditions everyone is not only benefited financially, but everyone is happier and more prosperous.

Very few indeed would want to go back to the old order of things. Ask some of the mothers and bairns under which condition they would rather live under.

Canada's Thanksgiving Day next Monday, Oct. 9th. Haven't you something to be thankful for, friend? Things are never so bad but what they might be worse.

Particularly sad are the circumstances surrounding the death by shooting of the late Sergeant F. Whiteside, 187th battalion, and M.P.P. for Coronation, whose burial took place on Monday at Innisfail, his home town.

It isn't quite so much of a job these days to save all the daylight there is. Still, one has to be up in the morning to do it.

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We expect this is the last shipment for this season and would advise you to get your supply at once

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SYNOPSIS OF CANADIAN NORTH-WEST LAND REGULATIONS

THE sale land of a family, or any male over 18 years old, may, homestead a quarter section of, available in Dominion land in Manitoba, Saskatchewan or Alberta. Application must appear in person at the Dominion Land Agency or Sub-Agency for the District. Entry by proxy may be made at any Dominion Land Agency (but not Sub-Agency), on certain conditions.

Duties—Six months' residence upon and cultivation of the land in each of three years. A homesteader may live within six miles of his homestead on a farm of at least 80 acres, on certain conditions. A habitable house is required, except where residence is performed in the vicinity.

In certain districts a homesteader in good standing may pre-empt a quarter-section alongside his homestead. Price \$100 per acre.

Duties—Six months' residence in each of six years after earning homestead patent; also 30 acres extra cultivation. Pre-emption patent may be obtained as soon as homestead patent, on certain conditions.

A settler who has exhausted his homestead right may take a purchased homestead in certain districts. Price \$10 per acre. Duties—Must reside six months in each of three years, cultivate 30 acres and erect a house worth \$200.00.

The area of cultivation is subject to reduction in case of rough, scrubby or stony land. Live stock may be substituted for cultivation under certain conditions.

W. W. COBY, C.M.C.,
Deputy of the Minister of the Interior
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Very Important Ruling

GRAZING LANDS CAN BE TAXED

His Lordship Mr. Justice-Simmons delivered judgment on Wednesday in the action brought against F. A. Kilbourn and the P Burns Co., Ltd., by the rural municipality of Marcus to collect taxes on grazing lands in the municipality. The cases were regarded as of unusual interest, owing to the fact that they were test cases, and upon them will hinge whether lands held under grazing leases from the Dominion government should be taxed or not.

In the Kilbourn case, his lordship held that the defendant was an "occupant," and therefore held the defendant liable for the taxes granting judgment for the full amount of the claim with costs.

On the other hand, it was found that the lease had been made out to P. Burns Co., Ltd., whereas the tax notices had been directed to P. Burns personally, and for that reason the case was dismissed with costs.

A girl wants work. Apply to Mrs. Deman, Chinook.

It would no doubt be unjustifiable cruelty to take the captured Zeppelins to the morgue to look after their victims.

A PURSE LOST

Lost on Saturday, Sept. 23rd, between Chinook and F. Otto's, a Black Purse, containing \$5.25. As this was lost by a little boy, the finder would confer a favor by leaving the purse and contents at this office.

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NOTICE

To whom it may concern: Lee Wing begs to announce that he has purchased the Albert Restaurant, Chinook, formerly owned by Jim Gow. The said Lee Wing will not be responsible for any debts owing by the said Jim Gow.
Signed, LEE WING

M. L. CHAPMAN
Chinook, Alta.

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A. NICHOLSON,
Editor and Proprietor

Chinook Women's Institute

IS GIVING A SOCIAL

The Chinook Women's Institute met in the hall on Oct. 4th. There was a marked increase in the attendance, which is very encouraging as the Institute is planning to accomplish much in its chosen line of work (Red Cross) through the coming winter. The following has been received from the Hon. Sec.-Treas. of the Red Cross Society at Calgary, asking if the Institute will help with the furnishing of the convalescent home for Canadians at Ramsgate, England. The Institute has decided to equip at least one bed and to raise funds for this purpose will give a social on the evening of Nov. 10th. Further particulars later.

The Canadian Red Cross Society has decided to equip a convalescent home for Canadians, at St. Lawrence College, Ramsgate. For this purpose, some 700 beds at \$50.00 each will be required, in addition to the 300 beds already subscribed but not used in previous hospitals equipped by the Society.

The Alberta Provincial Branch has undertaken to donate 100 of these beds, as its share of the equipment of this home. Will your Society help with this gift, and to what extent? We suggest that you make an appeal to the public throughout your district for contributions to this fund. Many of our Alberta men will be

admitted to and cared for in this home, and we suggest that you impress upon those to whom this appeal is made, that in giving money for this purpose they are, without doubt, providing for their own relatives and friends.

The cost of installing a bed is \$50.00, and beds thus paid for will be named after the donor.

Societies and individuals wishing to subscribe to this fund are requested to communicate with the Provincial Office, Calgary, as soon as possible, in order that there may be no unnecessary delay in completing arrangements.

Don't burn or throw away your discarded clothing. Bring it clean and with the buttons still on, and leave it at the Chinook Advance office, and the Institute will see to packing and shipping it to the Belgian Relief Society.

The British are winning "tanks" to the tanks.

"It is your duty to give unquestioning obedience to those above you," says King Constantine to his recruits.

And since King C. is up in the air most of the time, there is no question as to who should be obeyed.

Novelists may not be reformers when they take pen in hand to write a wrong.

CHINOOK MARKETS

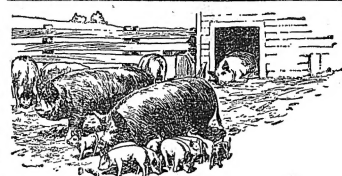
Wheat, No. 1	\$1.42
" No. 2	1.39
" No. 3	1.34
Oats, No. 2, Canada West	40
Oats, feed	35
Barley	69
Flax	1.75
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Organization meeting at 5 p.m., general meeting at 8.15 p.m. Speakers

THE HON. DUNCAN MARSHALL

Minister of Agriculture, Edmonton

T. M. TWEEDIE, M.P.P.

President Southern Alberta Patriotic Fund, Calgary

J. M. CARSON, ESQ.

General Organizer for Southern Alberta, Calgary

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KNIGHTS OF PYTHIAS

Chinook Lodge, No. 113, meets every Monday at 8.00 p.m. in Arms' hall, Chinook. Visiting members are cordially invited.
M. J. Hewitt, N.G.
E. B. Mills, R. S.

CHINOOK LODGE, No. 40, meets on the First and Third Thursdays of every month in their Castle Hall, Arm's Block, Chinook. Visiting members are cordially invited to attend.
L. S. Dawson, C.G.
L. Tosh, K.R. & S.